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THE FOURTH OF JULY.

It's Patriotic Observance This Year in Dodge City.

The American Eagle is being fed on patriotism and will screech on the Fourth of July. The eagle remembers what an excellent time he had last year, and how well he was treated—how much respect was shown him; and having these remembrances in mind he feels capable of shouting again in the same patriotic fervor as last year.

Noble bird! Just prick him a little bit and how patriotically he screeches. Uncle Sam knows how good a bird the eagle is, and he remembers the spirit of last year. The eagle and Uncle Sam and all the boys are in for a good time this year.

With a view of making the coming celebration the best held in Dodge City, our citizens have put in motion all the patriotic vigor that can possibly be mustered. Money and work are not stinted and are being given with liberality and public spirit.

The first citizen's meeting was held Thursday night last and preparations were made for the Fourth of July celebration. At this meeting, Mayor Summersby was elected chairman and Lloyd Evans was made secretary.

W. S. Ames made a report of last year's Fourth of July expenditures, which was satisfactory, and induced the meeting to proceed with present arrangements.

Dr. C. A. Milton, H. B. Bell and W. S. Ames were appointed a financial committee to collect funds for the celebration.

Mayor Summersby, W. F. Pettillon, M. M. Gwiner, Frank Chapman and Richard Stubbs were appointed a committee on management.

Committee on music, Louis Bader.

Committee on advertising, Leroy Martin.

Committee on parade and management, H. L. Carey, R. M. Rath, L. J. Pettijohn, W. S. Ames and John Martin.

At a subsequent meeting the financial committee reported that they had collected \$352 in cash.

The sports and games on the Fourth will be as follows:

- A wheelbarrow race, prize \$1.50.
- A sack race, prize \$2.25.
- Obstacle race, prize \$3.
- Three-legged race, prize \$1.75.
- Boys' 50-yard foot race, prize \$1.50.
- Burro slow race, prize \$3.
- Broncho race, 1 mile, prize \$10.
- Broncho breaking race, prize \$15.
- Ball game, prize \$20.
- Bicycle races, 3 in 1, 1/2 and handicap, prize \$20.

An entrance fee of \$1.00 will be charged in broncho race and \$2.00 in broncho breaking contest. Entrance fee to be added to purse—50 per cent to go to winner and 40 per cent to second best, and the third man to get back entrance fee.

A pavilion, 20 feet in diameter, will be erected on the park grounds, of octagon shape, built of red wood, a permanent fixture, and to cost \$180. A 50-foot flag pole will be placed in the center.

The committee will purchase two dozen willow benches, seating four persons each, to cost 75 cents each.

Electric lights and telephones are to be placed in the city park, where the celebration will be held.

The finances for the cost of the entertainment have been amply provided for. The committee report the cost of prizes, fireworks, music, miscellaneous expenses and pavilion at \$359.56. Added to the amount of \$352 subscribed, for privileges \$100, there is a total of \$452 in money, leaving a surplus of \$92.44, over and above all expenses, which may be used as the committee directs for the pleasure and comfort of the participants in the celebration, whether in ice water or fire crackers.

Uncle Sam, having furnished the boys their share of the fun of the day, he invites them to digress a little and do some reverence to the Fathers of Our Country. With this end in view he has provided a speaker—an orator—who will make the park woods ring, with echo after echo, with a patriotic refrain, and make the old eagle flap his wings with glory.

THE ORATOR.

Judge Madison, who was in Topeka, Monday, was appointed a committee with plenary power to procure a speaker for the day. He accordingly did so, and sent

A Card of Thanks.

I wish to say that I feel under lasting obligations for what Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has done for our family. We have used it in so many cases of coughs, lung troubles and whooping cough, and it has given the most perfect satisfaction, we feel greatly indebted to the manufacturers of this remedy and wish them to please accept our hearty thanks.—Respectfully, Mrs. S. Doty, Des Moines, Iowa. For sale by W. S. Ames.

Mayor Summersby the following telegram:

TOPEKA, KAN., JUNE 11, 1900.

Advertise Captain Clad Hamilton, of 20th Kansas, with Funston all through Philippine campaign. He is a lawyer and good talker. E. H. MADISON.

Captain Clad Hamilton is a patriotic orator with all the frills. A man who made the campaign which the 20th Kansas did is fit to orate on the Fourth. He is full of patriotism up-to-date, of the pyrotechnical order, warranted to echo and re-echo, make Uncle Sam shout and the eagle scream hallelujah!

All the boys and girls and men and women, within 50 miles of Dodge City, are requested to lay down their implements of farming and suspend operations for one day and come and take the town.

There will be fine music and splendid ice cream, shooting crackers and cold lemonade, free lunches and fun. Everything will be turned loose on that day, and the city marshal will be present with a dozen deputies to see that the crowd does not tumble over itself in enjoyment of the sport.

Put on your best clothes and come, and never mind the expense. The Ford girls and boys will vie with the Bucklin 400 in display of red and blue ribbon and muslin and gorgeous necktie. The Wilburn boys and girls will defy the Royal boys and girls in grandeur of the enjoyment of the day's doings. It is expected that the Cimarron overflow will come here in time to take part in the parade. Everybody else will be here on time.

This is a prosperous year, and there will be a big crop of everything, even after the grasshoppers and bugs and worms have had their fill.

Come to Dodge City and enjoy the Nation's day.

The park grounds are being fitted up for the Fourth of July festivities and will be a delightful place for cool and shade. The foliage is dense this year and there will be ample protection against the rays of the sun.

FLAGS, FIREWORKS, ANS. FISHING TACKLE. RACKET AND NOVELTY STORE.

FOR SALE—Bakery and confectionery stand for sale cheap. Want to engage in another business. Will sell all or part. Inquire of CHAS. DICKERSON.

Try Dr. Clemons' Barb Wire Cut Liniment for barb wire cuts. Prepared under the direction of Dr. O. L. Clemons, by W. F. Pine, Druggist.

G. W. Watson, of Kinsley, who was in the city yesterday, drove up from Kinsley. He says the wheat looks fine and will yield 25 bushels to the acre.

The ice cream social at the home of B. S. Williams last night, given by the ladies of the A. O. U. W., was a very fine affair, and a large number of people were present.

BORN—This morning to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gilbert, a boy. The boy will soon join his father on the GLOBE-REPUBLICAN force. Mother and boy doing well, and a large number of people were present.

Harry B. Morrow, who spent a week in Grant county, Oklahoma visiting relatives, returned Saturday night. He reports immense crops in Oklahoma. The wheat stands as high as a man's head, and will make an average yield of from 30 to 45 bushels to the acre. Harvest commenced the beginning of last week.

There will be services at St. Cornelius church next Sunday morning and evening. Morning prayer, Litany and sermon at 11 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon at 8 p. m. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Subject of sermon in the morning "Making light of it." Subject in the evening "Seeing strange things."

ADVERTISED LETTER LIST

The following letters remain unclaimed for week ending June 14, 1900. One cent will be charged for advertised letter delivered.

Armstrong, A. C.; Andrews, Annie; Bradford, J. H.; Blakely, Sara E.; Davenport, Viola; 2; Karnes, Jane; Kimbrough, R. J.; Lanier, A. E.; Osborn, H. H.; Struble, Susan; Thomas, George. J. A. ARMENT, Postmaster.

PHILIPPINE LETTER.

From Our Own War Correspondent.

Leon Bohol, Island of Negros, April 15, 1900. MY DEAR PEOPLE: * * * And first, let me tell you, and everybody sending mail to the Philippines, to direct to the company and regiment, "Via Manila." There it goes into the general post office where record is kept of the location of each regiment, and from regimental headquarters, of course, companies and detachments are accessible.

This week we haven't been very busy and I have nothing to do but study military tactics and read the Scientific American and GLOBE-REPUBLICAN. Of course, we take our regular turn in detail for patrol duty, otherwise it is as unwarlike here as it is in Dodge. On the night of February 20, we went on one of these reconnoitering into the country, from Saravia. Next morning as we came into town from a night's tramp after the "bogey men" we found the detachment in a bustle of excitement. We were to leave at 2 p. m. Where were we going? No one knew, but all were guessing, and no two of our guesses hit the same mark. All that day the turmoil and uproar kept up and at 4 o'clock we left camp, escorting a train of nine carts, each drawn by a caribou, and when we got untraveled and straightened out, we looked like a callithumpian 4th of July parade. Our pets were not forgotten and the parrots and other birds made an interesting addition to the general effect. The parrots wanted to drive the teams but they were most of them too profane.

We made the ten miles to Silay in about four hours and there were joined by the detachment of Co. B, which had been stationed at Cabonkalon. The next morning on opening our eyes we were struck by such a display of American flags as we little expected in a hostile country. All the shapes and forms of which the easily-worked bamboo is capable had been used as support for flags and other decorations of all designs. At first we wondered, then somebody said, "Washington's Birthday," which was explanation enough, although this was the first celebration of the day by any Philippine, I guess.

The chief attraction was the "Plaza", a square of about two acres, entirely surrounded by a fence of split bamboo poles about ten feet apart, arched from one to another and from each pole and arch floated a bright American flag, always and at all times and in all places a beautiful sight to the eyes of an American soldier, but here it was just thrilling! There were three grand entrances to this square—east, west and south—the latter in front of the church. At the east side of the plaza were fixed the various machines for the amusement of the visitors—greased pole, "jumping Johnny", a rack on which are placed horizontal bars of bamboo, going higher and higher until it is all a good jumper can do to clear them. On a frame-work above all, hang the "pesos" as prizes, one of which is grabbed by the jumper as he clears the bar if he gets high enough. But the crowd was drawn to the balancing pole, which was a bamboo (of course), about twelve feet long swung about three feet from the ground by long ropes at each end which hung from a stout frame above, the trick being to walk the length of the pole turn and walk back, where the prize awaited the balancer. Needless to say the supply of these prizes was not much reduced, for unless the man was very skillful and had his hair parted exactly at the middle, he wouldn't make it. His awful twists and squirms before the pole would fly out from under his feet always brought shouts of laughter. Horse-racing, wrestling and jumping, kept the people busy for three or four days.

March 2 we again broke camp, to the deep grief of some of the few senioritas of the old Spanish families of that neighborhood, and boarded the steamer El Cano which took us to Monople, where we picked up the remaining detachment of Co. B, making our force two full companies aboard the vessel. Thence we steamed to Iloilo, thence to Jaro (the same as in La Junta). Jaro is a very nice place and we were quite "stuck on it." But no! Back to Iloilo, where we loaded up two day's rations and began our most notable "hike", on the 30th of March—going to San Jose, Island of Panay, thence to the province of Antique, to a small town on the coast, from Iloilo about thirty miles by our route. Here we stowed our haversacks with two days' rations and started straight across the country which is very mountainous—our destination was unknown but our object was a "scrap". That night we camped high up in the mountains, holding ourselves in constant readiness for any little "surprise party" that might be anxious to get a few specimens of our cartridges for keepsakes. In the morning we resumed our march, two companies of us, strung out in single file, it looked very funny indeed, winding in and out on almost impassable places. Having marched, and slid and stumbled and tumbled down the opposite foot of the

mountain, we reached a swift-running river, which we waded, wading at the same time into a nice little town, the market, and named for its province, Antique. We entered the town, and such a sight! White, white, nothing but white, as clothing, everywhere. People all dressed in white, they came out to meet us, headed by the "Padre", who kindly offered us the church for quarters. This church, by the way, is built entirely of bamboo. Well, we stayed that afternoon and night and were treated most kindly. We had all the ducks, chickens, eggs, sugar, etc., that we could dispose of, and I'll tell you they tasted good as a change from hardtack and bacon.

Two companies of the 6th Infantry came to us here, over the mountains from the south, meeting a party of insurgents near by, with whom they had a skirmish in which one man of the 6th was killed.

We arrived at our sea-coast town the next day about ten o'clock, p. m., and tired! Whew!! Feet blistered, arms, hands and faces scratched beyond recognition! Again we boarded the El Cano and returned to Iloilo, where we loaded 15,000 rations and again set off on another mysterious journey, at the end of which we found ourselves landed at Tagbilaran on Bohol Island. Hot? O no, I guess not! Well, we stayed at this place 17 days—both companies—then half of Co. C went to Bacolon, while four others and myself were sent to Leon to take charge of a heliograph, which we use with sun flashes in telegraphing to Island of Cebu, where our Colonel has his headquarters.

The heliograph acts by reflection, same as a looking glass. It is twenty miles away, but we can read back and forth like a book.

Well, good bye! Love to all, (this is a family letter). Tell little Margaret to not forget me. DILWORTH BAIRD.

Entertainment.

The ladies of the Eastern Star will give an entertainment at McCarty's Rink on the evening of Thursday, June 21, 1900, consisting of the Floral March and a musical. All are invited. Tickets 25 cts. for adults, children 10 cts.

July wheat on the Chicago board of trade opened Tuesday morning at 73 1/2, and closed at 73 1/2. The highest point reached was 74 1/2, the lowest 72 1/2. Cash wheat in Chicago sold at 71 and 72. Kansas City, cash, 64 and 65. Yesterday wheat was a shade higher and market steady.

Many men are prevented from attending church in hot weather because fashion does not permit them to go in their shirt sleeves. Yet women put on shirt waists of the same loud stripes that are fashionable for men, wear same style of collars and ties and do not have to wear a coat and vest.—Wellington Mail.

A. C. Shields, of the Railroad Loan and Savings Co., Newton, Kas., has established a local Board of Directors in Dodge City as follows: John Madigan, W. F. Pine, W. T. Coolidge, H. B. Morrow, W. J. Davies, Secretary and Collector, to whom will be referred all questions of borrowing money, or whatever may come up concerning the company.

Timothy McCarthy Dead.

A message late Tuesday from Larned announced the death of ex-State Auditor Timothy McCarthy. Mr. McCarthy has been suffering for some time with lung trouble. He showed signs of improvement recently and his sudden death Tuesday was a great surprise. The Kansas G. A. R., of which he was past commander, will take charge of the funeral. The time has not yet been fixed.

A fatal policy is to neglect a backache or other sign of kidney trouble. Foley's Kidney Cure is a sure remedy for Bright's disease, diabetes, and gravel. W. S. Ames.

For the past two years Prof. S. J. Hunter of the Department of Entomology of Kansas University, together with a number of his advanced students, has conducted a field experiment station in the western part of this state. The practical results of the first year were embodied in a lengthy and fully illustrated report entitled "Alfalfa, Grasshoppers, Bees, Their Relationship." The results of the second year are to be found in the March, 1900, Report of the Kansas State Board of Agriculture, fully illustrated, under the title, "Alfalfa Culture and Insect Life." Prof. Hunter and some of his advanced students will again spend this summer in Western Kansas. Some of the investigations of the past two years will be continued and new lines taken up. In this connection a survey of certain forms of animal life is being made and special attention given to their relation to agriculture. As in the past two seasons this expedition will have the hearty co-operation and assistance of the farmers and ranchmen in the vicinity of the station.

Does Your Baking Powder Contain Alum?

Prof. Geo. F. Barker, M.D., University of Penn.: "All the constituents of alum remain (from alum baking powders) in the bread, and the alum itself is reproduced to all intents and purposes when the bread is dissolved by the gastric juice in the process of digestion. I regard the use of alum as highly injurious."

Dr. Alonzo Clark: "A substance (alum) which can derange the stomach should not be tolerated in baking powder."

Prof. W. G. Tucker, New York State Chemist: "I believe it (alum) to be decidedly injurious when used as a constituent of food articles."

Prof. S. W. Johnson, Yale College: "I regard their (alum and soluble alumina salts) introduction into baking powders as most dangerous to health."

In view of such testimony as this, every care must be exercised by the housewife to exclude the over and over condemned cheap, alum baking powders from the food.

Baking powders made from cream of tartar which is highly refined grape acid, are promotive of health, and more efficient. No other kind should be used in leavening food. Royal Baking Powder is the highest example of a pure cream of tartar powder.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 100 WILLIAM ST., NEW YORK.

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

Meeting of the County Board of Equalization, June 4th, 1900.

The Board of County Commissioners met Monday, June 4, 1900, at 10 a. m., as a Board of Equalization. Present, full board. On motion, the board proceeded to equalize the personal property returns of the several townships, and the following changes were made on assessment of cattle: Wheatland, decrease..... 7 per cent. Solville, decrease..... 4 per cent. Wilburn, increase..... 4 per cent. Ford City, increase..... 31 per cent. Ford Township, increase..... 42 per cent. Spearville Township, increase..... 9 per cent. On motion, adjourned to meet June 5, 1900, 9 a. m.

Tuesday, June 5, 9 a. m., board met pursuant to adjournment. Present, full board. On motion, the board proceeded to equalize the personal property returns of the several townships, and the following changes were made on assessment of cattle: Dodge township, decrease..... 5 per cent. Royal, decrease..... 20 per cent. Bucklin, decrease..... 10 per cent. Richland, increase..... 5 per cent. Solville, decrease..... 15 per cent. Fairview, increase..... 5 per cent. Bloom, increase..... 30 per cent. Grandview, decrease..... 10 per cent. Concord, decrease..... 12 per cent. Pleasant Valley, decrease..... 5 per cent.

HORSES:

Ford twp., increase on horses..... 25 per cent. Ford City, increase..... 15 per cent. Wilburn twp., increase..... 15 per cent. Spearville, increase..... 20 per cent. Solville, increase..... 25 per cent. Bloom, increase..... 30 per cent.

MULES:

Ford, increase..... 40 per cent. Ford City, increase..... 40 per cent. Solville, decrease..... 40 per cent. Fairview, decrease..... 40 per cent. The board then proceeded to equalize and adjust the assessment of the merchants of Dodge City.

At 6 p. m., the board adjourned to Wednesday, June 6th, 9:30 a. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present, full board. Board proceeded to carefully examine the assessment of lands as returned by the assessors and found all lands equitably assessed except certain lands in Ford township, on which the board reduced the valuation.

Special Meeting of the Board of Co. Commissioners, June 6, 1900.

Hon. H. R. Brown, Chairman Board of Co. Commissioners of Ford Co., Kan. We, the undersigned members of the Board of County Commissioners, respectfully ask you to call a special meeting of the Board, Wednesday, June 28th, 1900, 11 a. m., for the purpose of allowing the jury fee bill and transacting such other business as may properly come before the Board.

W. C. DUNCKER
NIC. MAYRATH.

CALL.

Persuant to above request, I hereby call a

a special meeting of the Board, June 6th 1900, 11 a. m.

H. R. BROWN, Chairman Board of Co. Commissioners of Ford Co., Kan. We, the undersigned members of the Board of County Commissioners, respectfully ask you to call a special meeting of the Board, Wednesday, June 28th, 1900, 11 a. m., for the purpose of allowing the jury fee bill and transacting such other business as may properly come before the Board.

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On motion, the County Treasurer be authorized to receive \$3.00 for assignment certificate on lot E, Shinn's addition.

Appointment of Fred Hansen, O. Rinehart and Henry Cook as appraisers of certain school land was approved, also the appointment of Geo. McKelvey, J. W. Travis and C. E. Jones, as appraisers of school land was approved.

On motion the County Treasurer be authorized to receive \$20 for assignment tax certificates on lot 16, Locust street.

On motion, the County Treasurer be authorized to receive \$38.82 in full payment all taxes on lots 7, 8 and 9, block 28, Dodge City, and lots 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 19 and 20, Locust-st., lots 9, 10 and 11, Maple-st., and lots 14, 16 and 18, block 10, Shinn's addition, providing the 1899 taxes on above described property is paid in full.

On motion, the County Treasurer be authorized to receive \$280 for assignment of tax certificates on neq. 9, and all section 3 and neq. 16, all in township 28, range 21 and sw 1/4 34-27-21.

On motion, the resignation of J. M. Fulton, as treasurer of Wilburn township was accepted and J. E. Rarden appointed to fill vacancy.

On motion, the County Treasurer be authorized to receive \$75 in full payment of all taxes up to and including the year 1897 on lots 1, 2, and 3 1/2 nw 1/4 31-28-22.

On motion, the County Treasurer be authorized to receive face of taxes on lot 10, section 5, twp. 25, range 24 and also face of taxes on nw 1/4 sec. 34, twp. 26, range 23.

On motion, the County Treasurer be authorized to receive face of taxes on sec 18-20-23 and w 1/2 11 and w 1/2 nw 1/4 14-28-23.

On motion, the County Treasurer be authorized to receive \$15 for assignment tax certificate on lot 9, block 7, Shinn's addition.

On motion, the County Treasurer be authorized to receive \$35 for assignment tax certificate on lots 6 and 7, block 29, Dodge City, and lots 12, 15, and 17, J. Collar's addition, for all taxes up to and including the year 1897.

On motion, a rebate of \$100 on valuation was given for lot 11, block 7, Shinn's addition, years 1895 and 1899.

On motion, the Board adjourned. S. P. REYNOLDS, County Clerk.

Bicycle and general repairing at the Novelty Works.